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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Prior to commencing substantive examination of the above-identified application on the merits, please enter the following <u>Preliminary Amendment</u>. This amendment is concurrently filed with a <u>Response to Notice to File Missing Parts</u>.

The Amendments to the Specification begins on page 2 of this paper, and is presented in accordance with the revised practice of 37 C.F.R. § 1.121.

The Amendments to the Drawings (Figure 3) begin on page 3 of this paper, and include both an attached replacement sheet and an annotated sheet showing changes.

Remarks follow on page 4.